

EPPM Preamble Recommendations for New Areas of Consideration for the QCC							
Preamble Category	Measure Recommendation	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	National Benchmark
Context and Resources	Poverty rate (below 100% FPL)	11.3%					13.2%
	White	11.60%					12.3%
	Black	29.50%					33.2%
	Hispanic	40.80%					30.6%
	Adults (25+) with 4-year college degree	21.7%					17.5%
	White	22.70%					21.1%
	Black	23.10%					13.6%
	Hispanic	10.50%					9.4%
Health Status	PCP's per 1,000 population	1.8					1.2
	Life expectancy	79.8					77.7
	Infant mortality rate (deaths per 1,000 live births)	4.8					6.9
	Adults - overweight or obese	58.0%					63.0%
	White	55.20%					59.6%
	Black	63.20%					69.9%
	Hispanic	60.20%					62.1%
	Adults - current smokers	16.0%					18.3%
	White	16.10%					18.7%
	Black	17.40%					20.6%
	Hispanic	14.90%					15.6%
	Prevalence of diabetes	7.20%					8.3%
	White	6.70%					7.10%
	Black	11.10%					12.1%
	Hispanic	8.60%					15.4%
	New HIV/AIDS cases (per 100,000 people)	8.4					23.2%
	White	4.3					11.5
	Black	35.8					83.8
	Hispanic	22.1					29.4
Health Outcomes	Age-adjusted death rate for accidents (unintentional injuries) per 100,000 population	26.7					39.8
	White	27.2					39.2
	Black	25.5					42.1
	Hispanic	24.9					31.5
	Death rate for breast cancer (per 100,000 women)	23.0					24.0
	White	23.2					23.3
	Black	29					32.8
	Hispanic	15.5					15.1
	Death rate for colorectal cancer (per 100,000 population)	17.6					17.5
	Stage at which breast/colorectal cancer is diagnosed - is not available prior to 2000 (consider including in future years)						